

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF NEW YORK

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,

-v-

FELIX ALMONTE,

Defendant.

2-cr-232 (JSR)

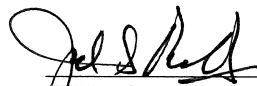
ORDER

JED S. RAKOFF, U.S.D.J.:

The Court is in receipt of a letter from defendant Felix Almonte that reads: "TO JUGGE [sic] RAKOFF: My NAME IS FELIX ALMONTE AND MY CASE NUMBER IS 1:02-CR-00232-JSR-1 MY CASE IS 23 YEARS OLD AND I WOULD LIKE THIS CASE TO BE EXPUNGE [sic]." This letter provides no basis for the Court to expunge the criminal conviction of Mr. Almonte. Further, the Second Circuit has recognized the limited circumstances in which a district court has jurisdiction to expunge a valid conviction. See Doe v. United States, 833 F.3d 192, 198-99 (2d Cir. 2016). For these reasons, the request of Mr. Almonte is denied, but Mr. Almonte may renew his motion if he identifies a basis for this Court to expunge his conviction.

SO ORDERED.

New York, NY
June 6, 2025



JED S. RAKOFF, U.S.D.J.